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DIRECT TAX VS. BONDING.

Two Methods of Raising Money Contrasted.

Bonds Become a Mortgage on Every House and Lot Until Paid Off.

EDITOR GAZETTE:—The proposal to issue bonds of the city of Berkeley for $60,000, payable in twenty years, with interest at five per cent per annum, to be used in a new building for the High School should be clearly understood by every citizen before voting upon it.

Bonds are payable—$3,000 of the principal each year—and the accumulations rest due upon the whole principal remained due to it.

During the first five years the people must pay $15,000 on account of the principal and $13,500 for interest. Total payment, $28,500.

During the second five years there will be $15,000 on principal and $9,750 interest. Total, $24,750.

During the third five years on account principal $15,000 and interest $6,000. Total payment $21,000.

During the fourth term of five years the payments are $15,000 on account principal and interest $2,250. Total payment, $21,000.

This shows that to borrow this $60,000 for twenty years we bind ourselves to pay $31,500 as interest, for the use of it, and the bonds will then become a mortgage upon every house and lot of land in Berkeley until they are paid off.

Now is this the wisest thing to do? Would it not be better to raise by special tax, the amount needed to place the Kellogg School in good condition by enlarging it, and making a suitable arrangement of rooms and halls and adding a room large enough for the assembling of the entire school with a chemical laboratory separate from the building and any other necessary changes or additions which may be required by the members of the Board of Education who have shown what was needed there for the High School in their address "To the Voters of Berkeley," published in your paper?

"Then the High School could use this improved and enlarged building for a number of years and by the time the contemplated new buildings for our University are erected Berkeley will have grown to such a position as to warrant the erection of a High School building that will be in keeping with these, both in strength and beauty.

Let the Board of Education select an architect to make plans and estimates of the cost of enlarging and improving the Kellogg School building, also for the cost of a building for North Berkeley grammar school, and submit the figures to the people to be raised by "direct tax" and the money will be voted for at once.

Two years ago an attempt was made to bond the town for $120,000. It was voted down. Then another effort to get $60,000 by the same process was defeated by the people. But when the Board of Education asked for $21,900 to be raised by special tax it was granted them by the citizens who now look with pride upon the handsome Dwight Way School building and the improvements of other school houses, all paid for from this $22,000 and thus a heavy sum of interest was saved to the tax payers.

There are no stronger friends of the public schools than the men who favor direct taxation in preference to bonds. They believe that the vast sums of interest money spent on borrowing money by bonding the town should be saved to the people, and spent upon the schools rather than upon bond holders.

They also believe that the bond habit—like every other habit—grows with its indulgence, and should be checked, lest our young city (like many another starting as Berkeley has) should be become overloaded with debt and taxation.

DWIGHT WAY.

FIRE HOUSE WARMING.

Columbia Boys Entertain the Public Tonight.

A Splendid Entertainment Has Been Arranged to Be Given in Odd Fellows' Hall.

The members of the Columbia Fire company are proud of their new engine house and they are confident that every other citizen of Berkeley who sees the building will be proud of it too, so tonight it will be open to the public and the fire boys will act as hosts.

There will be a first class entertainment in Odd Fellows' hall, during and after which the engine house will be open for inspection. A committee has been appointed to show the visitors about the building and explain the use of the apparatus.

The first number on the entertainment program will be a selection by the Firemens' Brass band. President Frank Loveland of the company will follow with an address of welcome. John Hinkle will make a few remarks. Fred Clark will render a vocal solo. He will be followed by President Richards of the Board of Trustees with an address. Gerald Kenny and C. Sturtevant will render an instrumental duet. M. Delafield will tell something of the uses of a fire department. A band selection winds up the program.

The evening will close with a dance. Music by Cook's Orchestra.

THE UNIVERSITY'S THIRTIETH BIRTHDAY.

Tomorrow will be Charter Day at the University. President Kellogg has announced the following program for the celebration of the thirtieth birthday of the institution.

Address by Philip R. Thayer, president of the Associated Students, "The Students' Gift to the University"; Professor William E. Rittger, president of the Council of the Associated Alumni, "The University—Its Graduates and the State"; C. M. Warner, '99, president of the Levi Strauss Scholarship Club, "Scholarship in the University"; Professor T. P. Bailey, "University Spirit"; Regent James A. Waymire, "The Utility of University Education." The committee of arrangements consists of Professor J. H. Senger and Professor W. E. Magee.

In the afternoon the students will hold athletic consests on the campus. The usual Charter day rush will not take place owing to the faculty's prohibiting rules.

THE INSPECTION OF MEATS.

Dr. F. E. Pierce, meat and market inspector of Oakland, proposes to bring a test case in the courts in an effort to enforce the ordinance recently passed by the City Council requiring that all beef offered for sale be first passed upon by the United States government inspectors.

Inspector Pierce states that there are several dealers who sell beef which has not been passed upon by the government inspectors. He has decided to make a test case of the matter and has accordingly sworn to a complaint against Fred Becker, he being the largest dealer of the city. Mr. Becker is willing to have the matter tested.

Money to Loan

Up to $4000 to loan on Berkeley property; no commission. Wm. Clark, 102 Telegraph avenue, Oakland.

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at Wentworths, 809 Delaware street West Berkeley.

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TRIBUTE TO A NOBLE LIFE.

Eulogies of the Late Miss Frances Willard.

One of the Greatest Women of the Nineteenth Century.

[This column is edited by the Berkeley W. C. T. U.]

A goodly number of people assembled in the First Presbyterian Church Sunday afternoon to listen to the services in honor of Miss Frances E. Willard.

The church had been tastefully decorated with white flowers, under the supervision of Mrs. M. D. Riggs of our union. The President of the W. C. T. U., Mrs. P. H. Rogers, stated the object of the meeting and read the Crusaders' Realm. The solo, "If With All Our Hearts," from Elijah, Mendelssohn, was very beautifully sung by Clinton R. Morse.

After prayer by Rev. George B. Hatch, Dr. Matthew gave his "Personal Reminiscences of Miss Willard."

He said she was quite in advance of her age in thinking young ladies could be a law unto themselves in their conduct in the university which she attended, and thus was at variance with the mediæval ideas then prevailing in the university, hence disagreement, and she left the institution.

"When I first heard her speak," said Mr. Matthew, "her voice was weak, but in after years in an address before an audience of 2000, her voice was as clear as a bell and heard in every part of the hall. She was a queen upon the platform. When the mammoth petition was presented to the Illinois legislature, it was rolled many times around the long pillars of the hall. Miss Willard's address on that occasion carried all hearts, and had the will of the people of that state been carried out, the saloon would then and there have gone. She had two rallying cries; the one, 'For God and Home and Native Land,' the other, the same standard of purity for men as for women."

Dr. E. E. Brown, of the University, followed with a tribute to Miss Willard.

Mrs. Charles Mills sang "Sunset and Evening Star" very sweetly, and a poem written by Dr. Terry was most exquisitely read by Mrs. J. A. Cruzan.

Mrs. Robert Bently spoke of Miss Willard as a friend. Mrs. George W. Haight in her address made mention of the two greatest women of this age, Frances E. Willard and Pundita Ramabai—the one in America, the other in India. In Tremont Temple, Boston, these two women occupied the same platform upon a public occasion.

MRS. PRICE'S ALLOWANCE.

The motion of Mrs. Louise F. Price, widow of the late Elijah Price of this city, for a family allowance of $100 per month, was heard by Judge Ellsworth yesterday. The estate is the hands of special administrator C. P. Gibbons, and consists of non-producing property. The Court was questioning Mr Gibbons about it and asked:

"Are there any children?"

"No, sir; but there are ten heirs by the first wife," came the unexpected reply.

The Court joined in the smile which went around the room.

The Court allowed the widow $50 from the date of the husband's death.

The School Census.

School Census Marshal Stevenson and Assistant Marshal Adams will commence their work April 15th. It will take about two weeks to cover the ground.

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WHOLESALE CONDEMNATION.

University To Acquire Thirty-Five Acres of Land.

Great Part of "Nob Hill," Valued at Over Half a Million Dollars, To Be Seized.

The owners of the property bounded on the north by the University grounds, on the west by Telegraph avenue, on the south by a line extending from a point on Telegraph avenue, 125 feet north of Bancroft, extended easterly to the University property east of the Palmer place, are up in arms against the action of the University Regents in issuing a map of the Hearst architectural scheme, which takes in the above property.

The regents propose to condemn this property for the use of the new University, despite the protests of the owners who are moving heaven and earth to induce the regents to alter the map at least for the present, one of the reasons for the protest being the injustice of the matter, the other being the fact that Director Tisdale, the title to all the land involved has become consequently clouded, several large real estate transactions having fallen through on that account.

The property comprises thirty-five acres valued at about $12,000 per acre which would give a total valuation of $420,000, exclusive of the improvements which, at a conservative estimate, are valued at $100,000 more.

If the plan is carried out the following land owners would lose their property: Professor Moses, Simmons estate, Professor Christy, Theo. Palmer, Zeta Psi fraternity, Hillegass estate, Warren Cheney, Professor Slate, W. C. Gunn and C. H. Sawyer.

The following would lose part of their property: Professor Le Conte, Professor Wickson, Professor Howison and Clinton Day.

The realty holders on the northern side of the college grounds are also in trouble, for it is contemplated to condemn a great deal of that section. Frank M. Wilson has been requested by the regents not to proceed with the erection of his new house, as the property will be condemned.

It is expected that at the next meeting a vigorous protest will be presented to the regents, but it is doubtful if any action will be taken by the board.

A Landmark Removed.

The Dwight Way station building was torn down today. Henceforth the waiting room will be in the Bailey block.

Ability Recognized.

Harry Stevenson, son of Thomas Stevenson of Lorin has been appointed manager of the Pasadena Fruit Growers' Association.

The Bonnet Box.

A visitor in Oakland yesterday dropped into the "Bonnet Box," at 461 13th street, and was much impressed by the splendid display of pattern hats. The "Bonnet Box" has announced its spring opening and has on hand a large stock of spring goods. The store is one of the best in Oakland for the purchase of millinery goods and is receiving very large patronage.

Will Exchange

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HIGH SCHOOL IS DISCUSSED.

What Will be Done if the Bonds Carry.

Board of Education Devotes a Large Part of Last Night's Meeting to the Matter.

The meeting of the Board of Education last evening was largely devoted to a discussion of the new High school building.

Director Tisdale introduced the subject by stating that a great many voters wanted to know what the intention of the Board was in regard to the material of which the proposed new building will be built. The speaker stated that he was in favor of a brick building.

President Boone stated that the Good Government club has gone on record as favoring a brick building.

The other members of the Board expressed themselves in favor of brick.

This part of the discussion was closed by the adoption of the following resolution which was offered by Director Tisdale:

Resolved, That it is the intention of this Board to erect the new High school building of brick or stone if the amount will permit.

The question of a site next came up but as the call for bonds is only for money to erect a new High school, nothing about a site being said, the Directors united in stating that it will be placed on the site now occupied by the Kellogg school and that it would be illegal to spend the money for any purpose other than the erection of High school building.

The following communication was received and placed on file:

I offer to sell a lot on the corner of Bancroft way and Grove street, 270 feet on Grove street and 200 feet on Bancroft way, for a High school for the sum of $8000.

F. K. SHATTUCK.

E. L. Heaney and Miss Eva L. Gregory filed applications for positions in the grammar school department. Miss Jean Belecher filed an application as music teacher.

Superintendent Perham reported that the flags on the Dwight way and Le Conte school houses were rapidly wearing out and should be replaced. The Committee on School Houses and Sites was directed to investigate, with the understanding that the Dwight way school flag staff will be placed on some other part of the building, as the smoke from the chimney ruins the flag.

The Board then proceeded to the election of school census Marshals. The applicants were D. S. Adams, T. Stevenson and Arthur Dickinson. Stevenson was elected Marshal and Adams Assistant Marshal.

There was no business for the High School Board to transact.

NORTH BERKELEY IMPROVERS.

The North Berkeley Improvement club will hold a regular meeting this evening. It is expected that the North Berkeley Street Railway proposition will come up for discussion, it being understood that a new plan will be submitted to the club.

A Rash Woman.

A middle aged woman sprang off the nine o'clock local train for the mole this morning as it was leaving Lorin, and was severely shaken up, but she escaped without serious injury.

Just Arrived

At E. H. Drigg's twenty cases of agateware direct from New York which he is selling at bedrock prices. See his two and three burner circular wick oil cook stoves at $3 25 and $4 50. His prices are 20 per cent less than city because he buys direct from the factory.

BIBLE SUBJECTS IN OLD ENGLISH.

Lecture Delivered Yesterday by Professor Lange.

Bible Stories as They Were Interpreted by the Old Anglo-Saxons.

Professor Lange delivered his second lecture in the series of English lectures yesterday afternoon. He continued showing how the old English treated Bible subjects as if they belonged to Northern England, the birthplace of English literature. The Anglo-Saxons, thought of the physical world after they accepted Christianity very much as they did before. The earth wa a flat circle, held in the embrace of limitless waters. Above the earth was the vaulted roof world; below the surface of the earth extended the indefinite world of hell. Earth was thus a middle region, outside of which was a yawning gulf. The sun was called the candle of day or, typical of the victory of light over darkness, the light of peace.

According to the Anglo-Saxon version of the book of Exodus, the children of Isrnel wander through the mountainous wilderness of Northumbria instead of the sandy level deserts of Africa. The Anglo-Saxons were close observers of nature and they introduced local coloring to all their descriptions of Bible scenery.

The Anglo-Saxons delighted in sea descriptions. When they described sea scenes it was scenes of the North sea. Their poems are full of descriptions of sea conflicts. They delighted in singing of the deluge. Professor Lange illustrates their power of sea description by reading a description of the stilling of the waters by Christ.

Professor Lange illustrated the thoroughness of the Anglo-Saxonising of the Bible incidents, customs, etc., by reading passages from the Bible and then Anglo-Saxon paraphrases of the same passages. They pictured Abraham as an Anglo-Saxonist, a national hero. After they became Christianized the Anglo-Saxons traced their geneology back to Noah, and thus Abraham was a close kinsman.

BERKELEY MEN ARRAIGNED.

Justice Fred Clift had the Berkeley cigar dealers, who were arrested for violating the liquor license ordinance and mile limit law, before him yesterday and fixed the date for their trials. Each pleaded not guilty.

The trials are to occur as follows: W. R. Wright, March 30th; James Overall, April 18th; Joe Dorn, April 8th; Mrs. Mary Thompson, April 13th; E. E. Tobey, April 14th; D. A. Landregan, April 19th; John McCarthy, April 19th; Jacob Mohr, April 26th.

Mrs. A. M. Thompson of Twelfth street, Golden Gate, is visiting friends at Roseville Junction, Placer county.

THE DEATH OF BABY NORLEM.

Coroner's Jury Said It Was Due to Pneumonia.

Dr. Oberg States That the Medicine Given the Child Was Too Strong.

The coroner's inquest on the death of the Norlem baby that died in Lorin last Wednesday under what were considered peculiar circumstances, was held in Oakland last night and resulted in a verdict to the effect that death was caused by pneumonia.

The parents had been of the impression that the demise of the little one had been due to the prescription which had been filled at the Golden Gate drug store, and Dr. Pratt, who had written the prescription, had refused to sign the death certificate.

Dr. Pratt testified that when he called to see the child its temperature was at 107, a very alarming degree. He then ordered the following prescription: Tinc. digitalis, 10 drops; sweet spirits nitre, 2 drahms; syrup squills, simple, 2 drahms; liquor ammonia acitates, to make 2 ounces. The dose was a teaspoonful every hour.

He said it was a prescription often given by him with good results. He was informed that Dr. Oberg had been called and said that the medicine was strong enough and that a teaspoonful of it would kill a man.

"I went to see Dr. Oberg," continued the witness, "and he denied that he had made any such statement, though he said he had told the people of the house that the medicine was very strong."

As regards the prescription, Dr. Pratt said it had been compounded correctly, though perhaps crudely, and the ammonia taste was not overcome as much as it might have been, yet this did not make any difference as to the effect of the medicine—only with the taste.

Dr. Depuy, who compounded the prescription, was unable to be present, owing to sickness. His deposition had been taken and was read. The deposition set forth that the medicine was put up according to the prescription.

During his testimony Dr. Oberg said that he had told the Norlem family that he would not allow the Pratt prescription to be given to his child, and from the standpoint of the homœpath it was a heroic dose.

Dr. Buteau was examined, and said the Pratt prescription was a very proper one, and one that he would be willing his child should take if suffering from pneumonia.

The University basket ball team will play the team from the University of Nevada on Saturday afternoon at 3:30, in Odd Fellows Hall in San Francisco.

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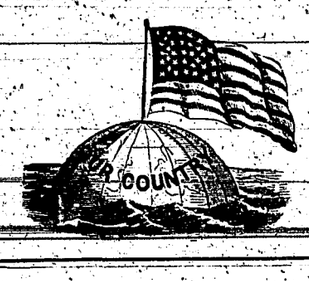
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MORE TROUBLE.

EDITOR GAZETTE:—I beg leave to ask, through your columns, and in behalf of interested citizens, as relates to the coming election which is to decide upon the proposition to saddle upon Berkeleyans, now and hereafter, an additional burden of taxation, the following pertinent question: Has any effort been made to ascertain whether the Alameda Water Company is or is not cunningly behind the energy which contemplates the issuance of $60,000 school bonds for the projected (though unplanned and rather shadowy) high school building?

Withal its notorious plundering propensities San Francisco, it is demonstrated, can thrive on a far less rate of taxation than (apparently) can Berkeley; and in the case of Berkeley much of this burden has been and still is for the schools—albeit no fault should be found with the erection of such schools. It is silly to advance the argument that this burden is more manifest because there are fewer people in Berkeley to bear it; the remedy could be very quickly and reasonably exploited in these columns if allowed. The present proposition is to augment this oppressive burden—the more oppressive by contrast—upon the strictly resident population for the advancement of many others who care not a whit about any inconvenience Berkeleyans may inflict upon themselves or how many groans of protest or distress may be dragged forth from the lamb-like multitude of humble home buyers in the town.

Moreover, it must be plain that with this proposed additional bond of $60,000—(for just what has not yet been shown beyond a mere generality of say-so) the people must at last collapse like unto the animal with its last load of one straw, and any further proposition as to bonds for other purposes in the future would be sumarily defeated. May not this indicate that the trustees, the board of education and upholders of the scheme generally are being cunningly tricked by the secret but powerful influence of the Alameda Water Company, in so-far that it will strongly but slyly exert itself in securing an affirmative vote from the people, and by which these shall become thoroughly disgusted by ever increasing taxation. Hence, when the periodic water famine of 1899 transpires—as it must and will—and as formerly there is set afoot a project to issue bonds for the purpose of building water works etc., the tired, taxed, overburdened Berkeleyans will despairingly vote it down because they can sustain no more. By this method the people will again be placed at the mercy (?) of the Alameda Water Company.

If there is such a trick in the yawp of the local flurry, then the Alameda Water Company seems to be playing a mavelous trump; and the Trustees, the Board of Education and their upholders in the scheme, have presumably lost sight of the joker in the pack.

ANTHONY P. MORRIS.

RULES FOR STOCKHOLDERS.

C. K. Clark has written a newspaper communication in regard to the trouble among the stockholders of the Oakland Building and Loan Association, in which he lays down the following general principles to govern stockholders in such concerns as the above:

"First—Shareholders should insist upon a simple, comprehensive report, at least once or twice a year, and learn to understand it. They should prevent trouble before it happens.

"Second—Any building and loan association which is burdened down with various plans and share payments of various amounts to pay shares of various denominations, should be carefully avoided.

"Third—Avoid associations whose plans are too complicated to be understood by anybody. The ordinary building and loan association is the safest thing in the world. The public must use that discrimination which common sense dictates and common sense must control in all circumstances that arise."

As Mr. Clark says in another part of the communication, these rules are simple and comprehensive, and they should be generally observed.

THE DIFFERENCE.

That the condition of manufacturing industries has improved since the adoption of the Dingley law is perhaps not doubted by anybody except the most irreconcilable free traders, but it is at least interesting to observe that the failures in manufacturing lines have fallen off very greatly since that law was placed in operation. The failures among manufacturers during the first week in March, 1897, amounted to $1,088,778, while those of the first week in this month were only $180,074. The total failures during the first week of this March amounted to $1,770,592, against $2,647,445 in the corresponding week of last year.

The Belmont Club holds its last meeting for this term tonight. The Club will take dinner at Delmonico's and will form a theatre party in the evening.

Newspaper Waifs.

"Is your wife literary?" "Yes; every time I step out of the house at night she says 'Quo Vadis?'"—Chicago Record.

"Appearances are very deceptive," remarked the tenor. "Yes," replied the prima donna, "especially fare well appearances."—Tit-Bits.

Scarce. What is an infant prodigy, grandpa?" "An infant prodigy is a little boy who knows so much that he never has to ask questions."—Chicago Record.

At the Show.—Mamma—Isn't he a wonderful contortionist? Papa—Yes, I wish I could do that. Mamma—Why? Papa—I think it might amuse the baby.—Puck.

First Telephone Girl.—What did Belle say when you told her your engagement was broken? Second Telephone Girl—Oh, she said it only *meant ring off*.—Yonkers Statesman.

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Beautifying Alabama Towns.

The village improvement associations are increasing in number in north Alabama. Florence and Huntsville have them in full and successful operation, and the Guntersville Democrat brings news of the formation of such an association in its town. In each town the good women are foremost in organizing and conducting the associations, a man or two coming in as a helper. The plans are all made by the women, and so are the steps taken to carry them out. But in every case the men stand ready to second the efforts of the women. The beautifying and cleansing of the towns in the state is neither a small nor an unimportant task. It is not only a benefit to every resident, but it will prove an attraction that will secure more residents. A town in which the paint brush and whitewash brush are freely wielded, in which fences are kept in repair and yards, both front and rear, are neatly kept, will be preferred, other things being equal, to one—well, the other kind can be seen almost any day. The less said about the latter the better. They are not pleasant to look at or to talk about.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Motorman Hard to Kill.

According to a daily newspaper, George W. Arberry, a motorman of Montgomery, Ala., fell ill of the yellow fever and, it was thought, died. The body was put into a box which two negroes undertook to cart away and bury on a hill. The guide rope broke away, and the box was overturned and broken. When the negroes tried to fix things up, Arberry came back to consciousness and yelled to know what was being done to him, which caused the negroes to flee as fast as their legs would carry them. Arberry managed to crawl to the nearest house, and, although nearly dead from exposure, he recovered eventually.—Electrical Review.

A Chicago Proposal.

"Without a word of warning he threw himself at my feet."

"Oh, well, you know he couldn't miss them."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Home For Women Nurses.

A home for women nurses has been completed and furnished by the managers of the Friends' asylum at Frankford, a suburb of Philadelphia, which is to bear the name Elmhurst.

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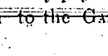
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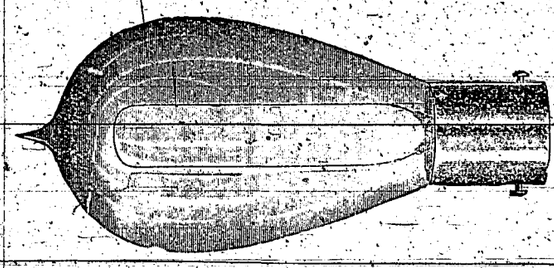
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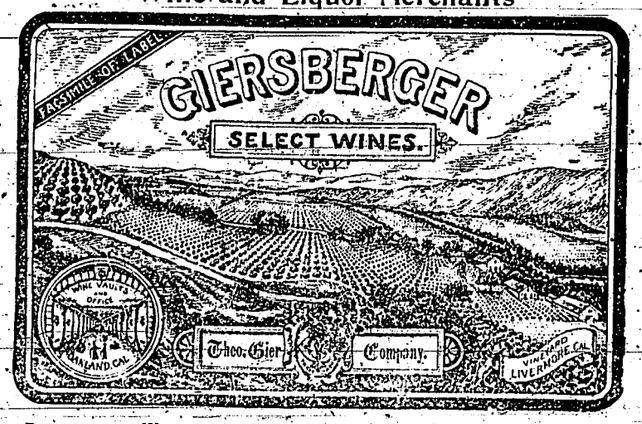
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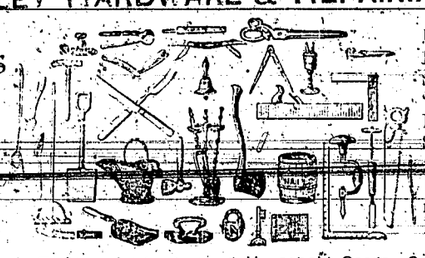
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The third annual report of the Society For the Prevention of Cruelty to Children picked up only one child in this city last year that could not be identified either at the time when it fell into its hands or since, and the youngster still figures on the records as "John Doe, No. 30."

The boy was found at Elizabeth and Canal streets at 9:30 o'clock at night on July 28, 1897. The police sent out the



"PATSEY," WHOM NOBODY OWNS.

usual notice about him, placing his age at 5 years. Nobody coming to the station to claim him within the prescribed time, he was committed by one of the city magistrates to the custody of the Cerry society. He could give no information about himself excepting that his name was Patsey, and he became a mystery. The society has since placed him in an institution.—New York News.

Teddie Tucker's Two Terrapins.

The tortuous Tiber trends through Tuscany. To Tuscany the Tuckers toured, timely taking the train. Two truckmen transported their trunks. Teddie Tucker took two tremendous terrapins. Terrible thunder-told towering tempests to tumble. Teddie, tearful, trembled to the toes. Through the tempest, through tunnels, too, the trusty train toiled to Tuscany. There the track terminated. Then the trolley transferred them to the tavern.

Tuesday Teddie took the terrapins to the Tiber. They, though torpid, trod the turf. There tired toilers tote twigs, trying therewith to thatch temporarily the tumbledown tenements; tricky traders traffic; terriers, tormenting tame tabbies, toss them topsy turvy; tree toads tunefully trill their treble tones; tulips thickly thrive.

Teddie tightly tied the terrapins to tree, then toying, tiptoeing, tried to touch the Tiber, twice, thrice; then, toppling, tasted the Tiber.

"Tommy Tinker!" Teddie thundered.

Thomas Tinker, Tuscany's tailor, thinking Teddie troubled, therefore tramped to the Tiber. Thomas threw the tape that tied the terrapins to Teddie.

"There, Teddie, take the tape."

The twisted tape, tangled, tore Teddie's thumbs. The terrapins thereupon tenaciously took Teddie's trousers 'twixt their teeth. Thomas, tugging, took the tape. Thus together they triumphantly transplanted Teddie to terrafirma.

'Twas twilight. Trifling takes time. Thankful Teddie trudged to the tavern to the teatable. Toast, turkey, truffles, tomatoes, trooped through Teddie's throat. Tired Teddie then trotted to tub, thence to trundlebed. Thursday the tourists traveled to Toulon.

The Tiber trails through Tuscany, through transplendent thoroughfares through thrifty towns. The terrapins transferred to the Tiber, tarry there together.—Sarah Fenton Hoyt in Youth's Companion.

Why?

There's many things I wonder why,
Which no one ever seems to know
Why stars stay always in the sky
And never tumble down below?
Why grown up people never see
When they are interrupting me?

Why I am not allowed to play
With nursy's nephew, William John,
And why the sun sinks down each day
Directly it has seen me gone,
And where it lays its shining head,
And if it likes to go to bed?

Why fairies never come to me
When nursy's with me in the room,
And why the earth I shouldn't be
A princess with a horse and groom,
And why—you never seem to hear—
Why is the world so very queer?

—Wilfrid Wilson Gibson in Sketch.

English Recruits.

Every recruit must be a British subject. The enlistment of an alien is, of course, contrary to international law. He must be unmarried. Shrewish wives have driven many men into the ranks, but not with the consent of the authorities. The married man who represents himself a bachelor is liable to two years' imprisonment with hard labor. They were not so particular in 1808. A delicious piece of doggerel published in that year represents a recruit taking leave of his wife and family:

Farewell to you, dear Nancy,
Likewise my children three.
Behold, I come to take my leave
Of friends and family.

Nancy suggests selling her cloak and the furniture to pay his "smart money." But Jack replies that he has been attested. Smart money won't do, and he must cross the main:

You will see me roll in splendor
When I return again.

Have you views on vaccination? You must give up the idea of going a soldiering or your convictions. "Are you willing to be vaccinated or revaccinated?" the interrogatory runs. At last the oath is reached: "I, Thomas Atkins, do make oath that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to her majesty, her heir and successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully defend her majesty, her heirs and successors, in person, crown and dignity, against all enemies, and will observe and obey all orders of her majesty, her heirs and successors and of the generals and officers set over me. So help me God!"—Good Words.

THE ICEFIELDS OF DEATH.

When the sparrow's build and the leaves break forth,
My love there is a dawn in the far, far north,
And a scarlet sun doth rise.
Like a scarlet fleece the snowfield spreads,
And the icy fonts run free,
And the lochs begin to brew their heads
And plunge and sail in the sea.

Oh, my lost love and my own, own love,
And my love that loved me so,
Is there never a chink in the world above
Where they listen for words from below?
Nay, I spoke once, and I grieved their sore—
I remember all that I said,
And now they will hear me no more—no more—
Till the sea gives up her dead.

Thou didst set thy foot on the ship and sail
To the icefields and the snow,
Thou wert sad, for thy love did not avail,
And the end I could not know.
How could I tell I should love thee today
Whom that day I held not dear?
How could I know I should love thee away
When I did not love thee anear?

We shall walk no more through the sodden plain,
With the faded bents o'erspread;
We shall stand no more by the seething main
While the dark rack drives overhead;
We shall part no more in the wind and rain,
Where thy last farewell was said,
But perhaps I shall meet thee and know thee again
When the sea gives up her dead.

—Joan Ingelow.

Plaited Material Much Worn.

A great deal of plaited material is used in Paris now to face revers and flaring collars. It hardly matters what the material is, and cloth, satin, mousseline de soie and velvet are equally liked. On a gown of gray panne satin a queerly cut jacket bodice has a shawl collar and straight revers that fall in a point below the waist, faced with plaited violet cloth. This is the only touch of violet on the dress, the rest of the trimming consisting of ruchings of gray mousseline de soie with beadings of steel embroidery. Plaited velvet sounds heavy, but it is possible, and some of the velvet used this year is extremely light in weight. One sees small yokes and chokers of one piece of velvet, with the plaits running up and down. The usual finish is loops of ribbon and mousseline de soie in the back.

Is not this an odd gown, perhaps more original than pretty? The skirt is of gold colored moire, cut with a short train. Over this is a sort of tunic of ecru guipure, mounted over black satin that slopes away, polonaise fashion, in front and is about half as long as the skirt behind. About the waist is a broad sash of black mousseline de soie, with tiny ruchings trimming the square bow. The sleeves and square yoke are of shirred and ruffled mousseline de soie. Lace caps fall over the sleeves, and lace ruffles trim these at the wrists. There is nothing to forbid the tunic being worn with a skirt of any color, but the old gold moire is most effective with the black and ecru.—Paris Correspondence.

THE GAME OF HIS LIFE.

Showing One's Varying View of Golf as He Plays Well or Ill.

On the links of the Island Golf club at Garden City, N. Y., two men were having a hot game, with success about even. They were good friends and complimented each other on their good shots, and looked the other way after a foozle. Just as the younger one stepped upon the tee to drive off for the sixth hole a very swagger cart came spinning up the road that crosses the links near that tee. A stunning young woman was driving. She pulled up sharply near the tee and called out to the man about to drive:

"George, dear, won't you come home now and not delay luncheon?"

The man straightened up with an air of disgust at the interruption and replied:

"Not now. I'm playing the game of my life."

"I wish you'd come," she said.

"No, not now," he answered. "I'm playing too well. I wouldn't quit this for 40 luncheons. I'm breaking my record by ten strokes."

"Well, I'll drive up and down here and wait for you," she said.

As she started off George, dear, turned to continue the game of his life. He sliced his drive and lost the ball in the blackberry bushes in the ravine. He dropped a new ball and lost one stroke. Then he topped the ball on the nit lick but out of the whirl and didn't gain three feet. Finally he got out with seven and was bunkered in the road that crosses the field. There he lost two more strokes and the rest of his temper. Finally he got out of the bunker and with a beautiful lie used his brassey for a three-quarters iron and overshot the hole by 50 yards into the tall grass. There the ball was lost.

Ten minutes later the swagger cart was spinning down the road at the top speed of the horse, the stunning young woman sitting very erect and statuesque and driving with superb skill. In the back of the cart, with his heels dangling and brandishing two golf clubs, sat George, dear.

The game of his life was over.—New York Sun.

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Catholic [St. Joseph's—Rev. T. Phillips, rector. Mass on week days at 7:30 o'clock; Sundays 7:30 and 10:30.

Christian—Regular services at American Hall. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Sermon at 11 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. 6:30 p. m. A. M. Elston, pastor.

Friends Church—Ashby and Shattuck avenue. Preaching every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Bible school every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Y. P. S. C. E. every Sunday evening at 7:30. Rebecca S. Naylor, pastor.

Methodist [Trinity]—Corner Allston way and Fulton st. Rev. Coyle D. D., pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Young People's Society: 6:15 p. m. Junior League [illegible] p. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening.

Presbyterian [First]—Corner Allston way and Ellsworth street. Services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school, 9:30 a. m. C. E. prayer meeting, 6:15 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, 7:45 p. m.

Congregational [First]—Corner Durant avenue and Dana street. Rev. George B. Hatch, pastor. Sunday school at 12:30 p. m.; preaching service at 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.; Y. P. C. E. at 6:30 p. m.; church prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

Congregational [North Berkeley]—Rev. J. A. Cruzan, pastor. Sunday morning service at 7:30; Y. P. S. C. E. at 4 o'clock; Senior S. C. E. at 6:30. Bible study and prayer meeting Wednesday evenings at 7:30.

Episcopal [St. Mark's]—Bancroft way between Ellsworth and Dana streets. Rev. George E. Swan, rector. Holy Communion at 7:30 o'clock except first Sunday of the month, then at 11 o'clock. Morning Prayer and sermon at 11. Evening Prayer and sermon at 7:30. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

Unitarian—Stiles Hall, corner Dana street and Allston way.

Church of the Nazarene—Welner Block, Shattuck avenue, near Center street, Berkeley station. E. D. Gary, pastor. Church services on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. [illegible] service preceded by street meeting at 7:30. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Holiness meeting Friday evening at 7:45. Both services preceded by street meeting.

WEST BERKELEY.

Episcopal—Bristol street. Minister, Rev. W. H. Ratcliffe; services every Sunday at 11 a. m.; Sunday school at 10 a. m.; Holy Communion first Sunday in the month at 11 a. m.; [illegible] service first Sunday in the month at 3:30 p. m.

Methodist—[illegible] street and [illegible] avenue. Rev. A. M. Bailey, pastor. Services every Sunday, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. [illegible] meeting 6:30 p. m. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Epworth League Tuesday evening, 7:30. Prayer meeting Thursday evening, 7:30.

Presbyterian—Corner Bristol and Sixth streets. Rev. F. H. Robinson, pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school 9:45 a. m. C. E. prayer meeting 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, 7:30.

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Presbyterian—Regular Sunday services in South Berkeley Hall, Ashby ave. [illegible] Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:45. A. [illegible] MacMurtry, pastor.

Park Congregational.—Fairview avenue, corner King street; Rev. S. C. Arnett, pastor. Sunday: Morning worship at 11; evening at 7:45; Bible school at 12:30 p. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. Jr. at 4 p. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. Sun. at 6:30 p. m.; prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:15 p. m.

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SOCIETIES.

The I. O. F. meets the second and fourth Monday in each month in American Hall.

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Order of Chosen Friends—Berkeley Council No. 73. Meets first and third Friday evening in each month at Taylor's Hall.

Order of Hermann Sons—West Berkeley Lodge No. 21. Meets every Monday evening at Sisterna Hall.

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Women's Christian Temperance Union—This organization holds its regular monthly meetings at the Trinity M. E. church on the [illegible]

Commissioner's Sale.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE of California, in and for the county of Alameda.

Claudine Wilson (formerly Claudine Zehle) and George A. Wilson, plaintiffs,

vs.

Theodore Wagner, as administrator of the estate of Ellen Boyle, deceased, and Timothy Boyle, Frances Hall and Etta Smyth, defendants.

Whereas, a judgment and decree of foreclosure and order of sale, to me directed, was issued out of said Superior Court of said county of Alameda and State of California on the 4th day of March, A. D. 1898, in favor of Claudine Wilson, formerly Claudine Zehle, and George A. Wilson, plaintiffs, and against Theodore Wagner, as administrator of the estate of Ellen Boyle, deceased, and Timothy Boyle, Frances Hall and Etta Smyth, defendants, for the sum of six hundred and twenty dollars and for costs of suit, taxed at $16.70, amounting in the aggregate to six hundred and thirty six dollars and seventy cents, with interest thereon from the date of said judgment at the rate of seven per cent per annum and for accruing costs, which said judgment and decree is recorded in judgment book 31 of said court at page 153.

And whereas, I am commanded by said decree of foreclosure and order of sale to sell the mortgaged premises therein described to satisfy said judgment and the costs of said action, notice is hereby given that, on SATURDAY, the 2d day of April, A. D., 1898, at 10 o'clock a. m. of that day, in front of the Broadway street entrance to the Courthouse of the county of Alameda, in the city of Oakland, in said county, in obedience to the commands of said decree of foreclosure and order of sale, I will sell the said mortgaged premises described in said decree of foreclosure and order of sale, as follows, to wit:

That certain piece and parcel of land situate in the town of Berkeley, in the county of Alameda and State of California, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Fifth street, distant thereon one hundred and forty-seven (147) feet northerly from the northerly line of Allston street, running thence northerly along said line of Fifth street ninety-four (94) feet; thence at right angles easterly one hundred and thirty-six (136) feet; thence at right angles southerly ninety-four (94) feet; and thence at right angles westerly one hundred and thirty-six (136) feet to the point of commencement, being lots numbered twenty and twenty-one (20 and 21), in block (106) one hundred and six, as the same are laid down and delineated upon a certain map entitled "Map of the Sisterna Tract, Berkeley," filed May 15, 1890, in the office of the County Recorder of said Alameda county.

Or I will sell so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment with interest and costs. Said sale will be made at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash in gold coin of the United States.

Dated at Berkeley, Cal., March 10, A. D., 1898.

GEORGE J. WAGNER,

Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.

Thos. F. Graber, Attorney for Plaintiff. [illegible]

BERKELEYANS IN GIBSON TABLEAUX.

A novel entertainment will be given in Shattuck hall tonight by ladies of the First Congregational church. It consists of a series of Gibson Picture Tableaux, in which a number of well known ladies and gentlemen will appear. Among those who are to take part are Professors E. B. Clapp and W. E. Ritter, Mr. Sanborn, Mrs. Warring Wilkinson, Miss Wilkinson, Miss Juliet Garber, Miss Agnes Duff, Miss Evelyn Henry, Miss Blanche Morse, Miss Edith King and a number of university students.

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LAST GAME WITH THE ALUMNI.

The fourth game between the U. C. and Alumni Baseball teams will take place tomorrow afternoon on the campus tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. The U. C. has won two out of the three games played so far the scores being 19-9; 0-7; 10-4. Krug, who pitched for the Alumni when they won 7-0, will pitch tomorrow, and the U. C. batters will have a chance to show what they can do against a first-rate pitcher.

This is the last game the U. C. will play against the Alumni, although the team has several games with Santa Clara and other teams to play before the intercollegiate games. The first game with Stanford takes place Saturday, April 9th, at Eighth and Harrison streets, San Francisco.

The game tomorrow will be a fast one. Captain Hoag says that there will be more ginger in the game than there was last Saturday. Let every student attend the game and help the team win by yelling. The line-up will be as follows:

U. C.	Position	ALUMNI
Mein	catcher	Elston
Kaarsberg		
Sims	pitcher	Krug
Bride	1st base (Capt.)	Allen
McLaren	second base	Wheeler
Baer	third base	McKee
McCabe	shortstop	Mertes
Cheesbrough	left field	Ireland
Hoag (Capt)	center field	Heller
Collins	right field	Bliss

Baptist Church Meetings.

The new executive committee of the Baptist Y. P. C. E. will meet for the appointment of committees this evening at 8 o'clock with Miss Eva Parker, 1930 Haste street.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid Society will meet for work with Mrs. Brainard, 2022 Lincoln street, Tuesday at 2 p.m.

The prayer meeting of Baptists will be held in the church parlors on Wednesday at 8 p.m.

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First Monday of March, 1898,

In accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in section 3629, Political Code, becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before March 21st, 1898, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1898.

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

Poll Tax Must Be Paid on Demand.

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Sec. 3839 of the Political Code reads as follows:

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First Monday in March and the First Monday in July,

then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 429 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll tax must be paid on demand.

HENRY P. DALTON,

Assessor of Alameda County.

Oakland, California.

Adjudication of Insolvency, Stay of Proceedings and Order of Publication of Notice to Creditors.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of William Rutledge, Insolvent debtor.

William Rutledge having filed in this Court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, by which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said William Rutledge is hereby declared to be insolvent.

The Sheriff of the County of Alameda is hereby directed to take possession of all the estate, real and personal, of the said insolvent debtor, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account, and papers, and to keep the same safely until the appointment of an assignee herein.

All persons are forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent debtor, or to deliver any property belonging to said insolvent debtor to him, or to any person, firm or corporation, or association for his use.

The said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this Court, except as herein ordered.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that all the creditors of said debtor whose claims shall have been placed on file in the office of the Clerk of this Court at least two days prior to the 4th day of March 1898, be and appear before the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, in open Court, at the Courtroom of said Court, Department No. 1, in the County of Alameda, State of California, on the 4th day of March 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose an assignee of the estate of said debtor.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that this order be published in THE BERKELEY GAZETTE a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Alameda, as often as the said newspaper is printed before the said day set for the meeting of creditors.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that in the meantime, all proceedings against the said insolvent debtor be stayed.

S. P. HALL, Judge of the Superior Court.

Dated February 23rd, 1898.

(Endorsed.) Filed February 23, 1898.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk

By J. CAL. EWING Deputy Clerk